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Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Manley
55 Somerset Street
Newark, N. J.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Manley:

I have made several attempts to see you at your home, but somehow - no luck. On occasion I have left my card and others, I just drove by and seeing no lights in your apartment windows I kept on going.

I still have your kind note about my having passed the bar - and I am going to preserve it as a keepsake. It's the nicest one I received among all kinds of messages. It was grand.

There need be no question about the "Eagles" ever keeping up with me, I'm sure. For if I am growing, they must grow, not only along with me but ahead of me. May I thank you, too, for the clippings. I am particularly proud of them.

According to the Newark Herald, Hayes and Evans have been traded. I would like to write that story for the daily press - and, if you'd like send it to the Afro, Courier, Amsterdam etc. I have long since used all the notes I got from you during my last visit. I should like very much to have as many more as possible.

I had your message at home last night. If we can set an appointed date and time, I will certainly be at your disposal.

With kindest personal regards,

Yours sincerely,

Jerry Kessler